# TURKEY HUNT 3D

THE ULTIMATE HUNTING EXPERIENCE

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# WELCOME TO TURKEY HUNT 3D

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### Installation

Put the 'Turkey Hunt 3D' CD into the CD-ROM drive.

Either
From the 'Control Panel' select 'Add/Remove' programs. Click on the 'Install' button.

**or**

Explore the CD-ROM drive and open the double click on the file marked 'setup.exe'
**or**

Select 'Run...' from the 'Start Menu' and type in D:\setup.exe, change 'D' for the letter of your drive.

Follow the instructions on screen.

### Uninstallation

Go to the 'Add/Remove' program from the 'Control Panel', select 'Turkey Hunt 3D' from the menu and then click on the 'Add/Remove' button.

### To run the game...

Once installed the game can be run by going to the Window 'Start' button, then Programs, then highlight the 'ValuSoft' folder which will contain 3 different selections:

- -Turkey Hunt 3D (3dfx)
- -Turkey Hunt 3D (software)
- -Turkey Hunt 3D (Direct 3D)

Click on one that best fits your equipment to run the game.

## Weapons & Calls

Before you start your hunt you have a choice of 3 weapons, either the shotgun, muzzle loading shotgun or the bow:

**The Shotgun** - is your primary turkey-hunting weapon. Although it is easier to use than the bow, it is still a weapon that commands respect and patience to master. Yours is a turkey gun with permanent camouflage and a dry curb weight (unloaded) of 6 lbs. and 10 oz. Firing factory loaded No. 4 shot it shoots a pattern straight enough to give you all the confidence you need when eyeing up a boss gobbler. Watch out though, it's got quite a recoil. Bagging the turkey with the shotgun earns you the honor of hanging your turkeys tail in the trophy room along with a silver plaque.

**The Bow** - is the weapon to use, as you become a more experienced turkey hunter. Although it is much harder to make a kill using a bow the prestige is much greater, and by harvesting a turkey with the bow you get to register your kill in the trophy room with a gold plaque. The bow that you use is one of the latest models on the market, with a machined-aluminum riser and compression molded glass limbs it weighs just 4 lbs. Disguised in a realistic camouflage finish, the bow is ideal for hunting the eagle-eyed turkey. The length of the bow from axle to axle is 38", the draw length 25" to 27" making this a strong, durable, fast and accurate weapon.

**Muzzle Loading Shotgun** - is a more traditional way to hunt the turkey. Hunting is done the same way as usual except it takes longer to reload the muzzle gun than it does the bow or the shotgun, so before you fire the shotgun make sure that you have the turkey in your sights. Like the shotgun, harvesting a tom will bring rewards of a silver plaque for the trophy room.

**To bring the turkey in close enough to get a good shot in you must use your calls:**

**Diaphragm calls** - are particularly useful to the turkey hunter, placed between the roof of the mouth and the tongue the hunter blows air past

it to create a yelping noise like that of a turkey. The diaphragm call is very versatile and can imitate many of the different noises a turkey makes. The main advantage of the diaphragm call over others is that it is a hands free call and can be used whilst holding the gun or bow.

**Box calls** - are a more traditional calling accessory, which can often provide devastating action. Tapping the pivoting top section the box call makes a realistic turkey yelp call, guaranteed to get the laziest of toms gobbling.

## Hunting

When you enter the game you will find yourself at the hunting lodge options screen. From here you will be able to Go Hunting, enter your own Trophy Room or Quit the game.

By clicking on the go hunting sign you will find yourself in front of a map showing the different scenarios in which you can go hunting. Each scenario contains a different subspecies of turkey each with its own characteristics and personality, select the area using the mouse cursor. Once you have chosen where to hunt you will be presented with a screen inviting you to choose your camouflage. Select your camouflage carefully to match the surroundings you hunt in so that you are better hidden from the turkey. Select the camouflage by highlighting your choice by rolling over it, then click the left mouse button. The next screen is the weapon selection screen. For novice turkey hunters it is recommended that you use the shotgun, where as the more experienced turkey hunter might be skilled enough to harvest a turkey using the muzzle loading shotgun or bow. As before use the mouse cursor to select your weapon. There will then be a short pause as the game loads.

You are now ready to hunt the turkey. Turkey hunting like many other types of hunting requires skill and stealth. The way to success in Turkey Hunt 3D is to think like a real hunter and plan how to bring in the turkey. You should think about dividing your hunt up into 3 critical stages; Finding, Calling and Killing.

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### Stage 1 - Finding

Look around, use you binoculars to search out a turkey in the distance. With the binoculars you should be able to spot the difference between a hen and a gobbler. A gobbler has vivid coloring and a beard hanging from its throat. There's nothing stopping you hunting a hen, but you won't be able to keep a trophy of it back at the lodge. If you're having no luck then try calling the turkey. A successful call may well lure the tom into giving away his location. Once you have sighted a turkey you must find yourself a place to hide. Remembering that you will be wearing camouflage clothing and, providing you chose appropriate camouflage, as long as you are off the skyline you should be hidden. An ideal hunting spot may be tight up against a rock, a tree or a bush. You are then ready to commence stage 2 of the hunt, Calling.

### Stage 2 - Calling

Calling the turkey is an exciting, and thrilling experience. Using the calls at your disposal, lure the tom towards you by imitating the calls of a hen. If a lovesick tom responds to your calls he will reply with his own inimitable gobble. Don't take the tom's interest for granted, over calling a tom could cause him to lose interest as much as a lack of calling would. On some occasions one call may work better than another, often a combination could prove to be the boss gobbler's downfall. As the turkey gets nearer ensure that you will be able to get a clean shot when it is close enough, but be careful, the sharp eyed tom will spot any sudden movements. Don't expect too much success when shooting a turkey from any distances over 35 yards, its thick feathers will be able to deflect the shot at that yardage. Don't bring the gobbler in to close, he may catch sight of you no matter how well hidden you are.

### Stage 3 - Killing

Draw you weapon, take aim, and fire. All being well you'll have bagged your turkey, and you're going back to the lodge with a smile on your face. Should you miss, then the turkey will panic and run away. If you're lucky you might be able to reload you weapon and take another shot before it goes out of range, but if you've missed a sitting duck you'll find it hard to hit a moving target. Don't get too disheartened if you do miss, it happens to every single hunter if they've ever done any hunting before. Just return to stage one and make sure that this time bag that turkey.

Having successfully harvested your turkey, the hunt is over for the day. The weight and beard length will be displayed. Providing you've shot a gobbler you'll then be taken into your Trophy Room where you can decide whether or not to hang the turkey's tail along with a plaque.

**Keys:**

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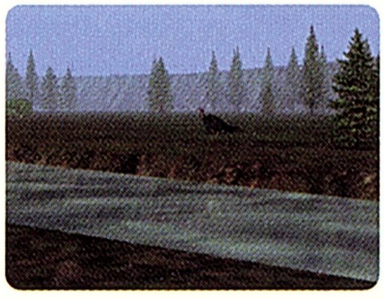
| Forwards | (arrow up) |
| Backwards | (arrow down) |
| Weapon up / down | 1 |
| Binoculars up / down | 2 |
| Diaphragm Call | 3 |
| Box Call | 4 |
| Fire (whilst gun raised) | Left mouse button |
| Reload (whilst gun raised) | Right mouse button |
| Return to the lodge | Esc |



## Trophy Room

One of the most innovative features of Turkey Hunt 3D is the trophy room. Just like real life turkey hunting you will be able to hang the tails of up to 10 different turkeys in your own trophy room. The trophy room is itself a 3D room which you can walk around whenever you want, and view you trophies.

Having made a kill you will be shown the plaque to hang in the trophy room, gold plaques are awarded for a bow shot turkey and silver for a kill made with either of the guns. You will then be taken directly to the trophy room. Walking around the room you will notice that by facing a wall mount it will glow. This shows that it is selected, and by clicking with the left mouse button the trophy will be hung in the selected mount. You the player are completely free to organize your trophy room just as you want. Replacing a mounted turkey tail is done using the same procedure as an empty turkey mount.

You can visit your trophy room at anytime via the menu screen at the start of the game, where you will be able to view your trophies. To exit the trophy room all you have to do is walk out the door.

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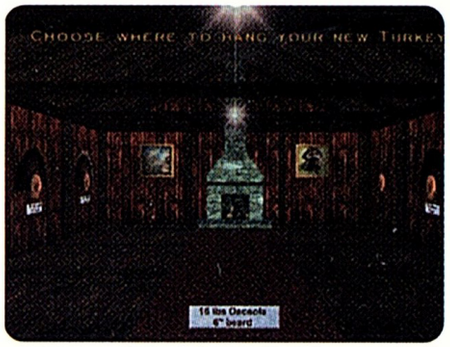


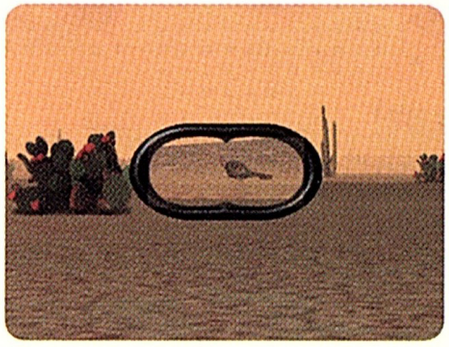

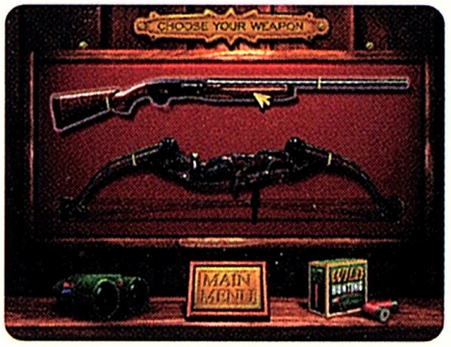


**As the days first light peaks over the horizon, you move quietly into position for a great day of hunting. In the misty morning air you begin your calls and watch the underbrush for any signs of movement. Suddenly a Tom responds to your gobbles. Slowly he emerges from behind a tree. You draw a bead on him, and with your heart pounding, you squeeze the trigger lightly. Bullseye!**

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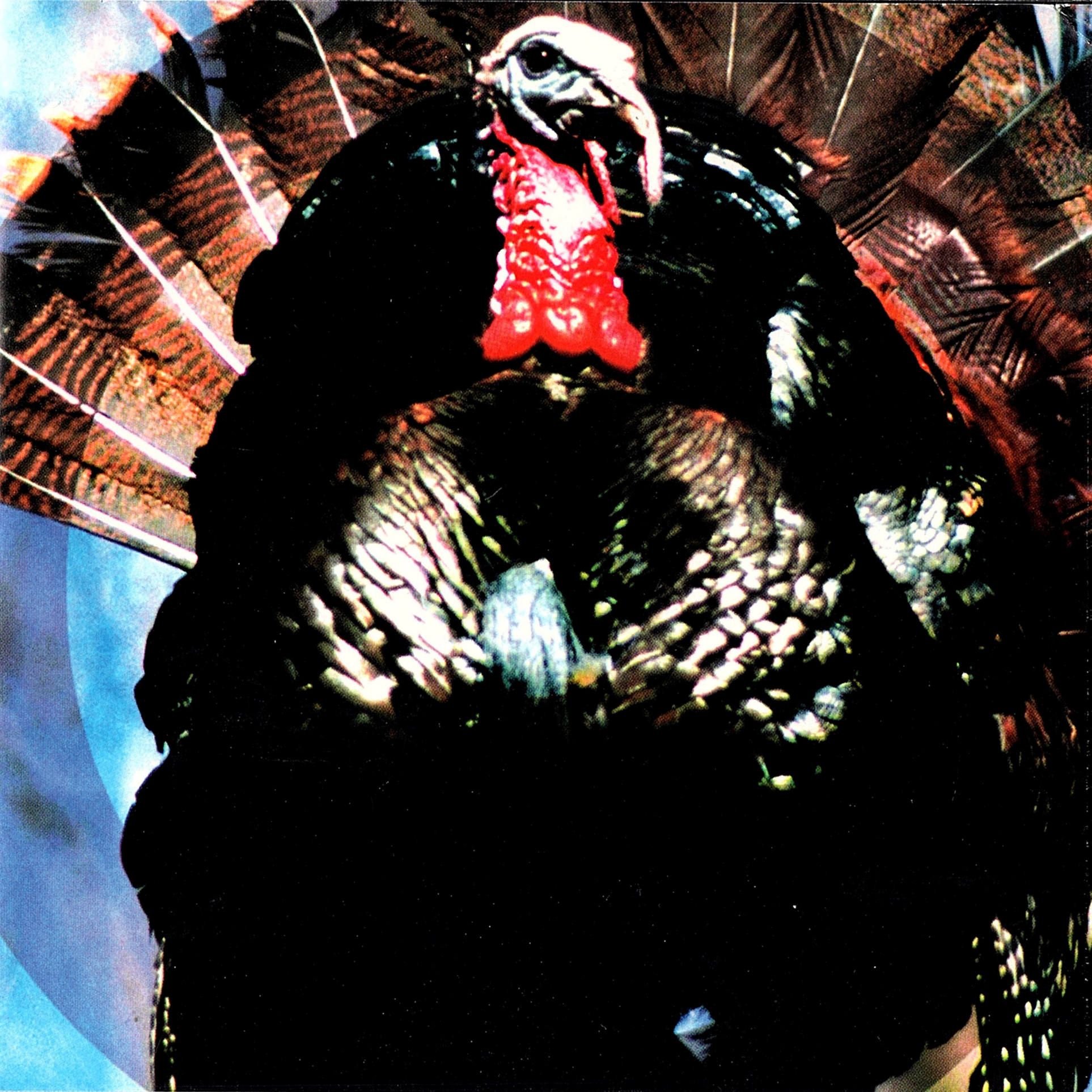
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